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1. This communication is responsive to <u>11/28/2005</u> .		
2. The allowed claim(s) is/are <u>1-39</u> .		
 3. Acknowledgment is made of a claim for foreign priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119(a)-(d) or (f). a) All b) Some* c) None of the: 1. Certified copies of the priority documents have been received. 2. Certified copies of the priority documents have been received in Application No. 3. Copies of the certified copies of the priority documents have been received in this national stage application from the International Bureau (PCT Rule 17.2(a)). 		
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5. CORRECTED DRAWINGS (as "replacement sheets") must be submitted.		
(a) ☐ including changes required by the Notice of Draftsperson's Patent Drawing Review (PTO-948) attached1) ☐ hereto or 2) ☐ to Paper No./Mail Date		
(b) including changes required by the attached Examiner's Amendment / Comment or in the Office action of Paper No./Mail Date		
Identifying indicia such as the application number (see 37 CFR 1.84(c)) should be written on the drawings in the front (not the back) of each sheet. Replacement sheet(s) should be labeled as such in the header according to 37 CFR 1.121(d).		
 DEPOSIT OF and/or INFORMATION about the deposit of BIOLOGICAL MATERIAL must be submitted. Note the attached Examiner's comment regarding REQUIREMENT FOR THE DEPOSIT OF BIOLOGICAL MATERIAL. 		
 Attachment(s) 1. ☑ Notice of References Cited (PTO-892) 2. ☐ Notice of Draftperson's Patent Drawing Review (PTO-948) 3. ☐ Information Disclosure Statements (PTO-1449 or PTO/SB/0 Paper No./Mail Date 4. ☐ Examiner's Comment Regarding Requirement for Deposit of Biological Material 	6. Interview Summary Paper No./Mail Da 7. Examiner's Amend	ite

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DETAILED ACTION

Allowable Subject Matter

- 1. Claims 1-39 are allowed.
- 2. The following is an examiner's statement of reasons for allowance: Claims 1-39 are allowable for the reasons discussed in applicant's arguments of 11/28/2005. Specifically that the prior art does not teach along with the other limitations of the claims, a device having both a projector disposed in an interior volume of itself along with a writing plane having holding means for securing a sheet of tracing paper. For example US 5,217,293 to Kobzeff teaches in figure 1 a platform where a piece of tracing paper can be applied, however no projector for projecting an image is provided. US 5,748,183 to Yoshimura et al. teaches in figure 1A a projection device that folds and includes a writing plane, however there is no means for attaching a piece of tracing paper to said writing means. US 5,100,325 to Cutler teaches a perspective drawing device, which includes means for attaching tracing paper (window 18), light source means 22 and image source (20), however said light source is not disposed within the interior volume of the device. It would not be obvious to modify any of these or other prior art to obtain the claimed invention, as they would all require modification beyond the scope of their original purposes and the only motivation would be impermissible hindsight.

Any comments considered necessary by applicant must be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee and, to avoid processing delays, should preferably accompany the issue fee. Such submissions should be clearly labeled "Comments on Statement of Reasons for Allowance."

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Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Andrew T. Sever whose telephone number is 571-272-2128. The examiner can normally be reached on 8:30-5:00.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Judy Nguyen can be reached on 571-272-2258. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 571-273-8300.

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